

## Message Text

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TAGS: PEPR, SA  
SUBJECT: SEMINAR ON THE ISLAMIC WORLD

TO GAIL L. POTTER  
VICE PRESIDENT  
ASPEN INSTITUTE  
717 FIFTH AVENUE  
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10022

1. I HAVE JUST RETURNED TO DHAHRAN FROM HOME LEAVE IN THE U.S.  
AND FOUND YOUR JUNE 5 LETTER AND SANDRA SENNETT'S JUNE 20  
TELEGRAM INVITING ME TO PARTICIPATE IN YOUR ASPEN CENTER SEMINAR  
FROM AUGUST 6 - 19. THE LETTER AND TELEGRAM DID NOT  
CATCH UP WITH ME DURING MY EXTENSIVE TRAVELS DURING THE PAST  
TWO MONTHS, WHICH EXPLAINS MY LACK OF RESPONSE TO YOUR  
GENEROUS INVITATION.

2. MY PLANS HAVE JUST BEEN CHANGED AS A RESULT OF AN  
ATTRACTIVE NEW ASSIGNMENT TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT'S SENIOR  
SEMINAR IN WASHINGTON D.C., SO I PLAN TO RETURN TO  
WASHINGTON IN EARLY SEPTEMBER. I WILL CONTACT YOU SOON  
AFTER MY RETURN TO DETERMINE IF I CAN BE OF ANY FURTHER  
ASSISTANCE IN CONNECTION WITH THE ASPEN WORK CONCERNING THE  
ISLAMIC WORLD. I WOULD HAVE BEEN DELIGHTED TO PARTICIPATE IN  
AUGUST SESSION, AND I HOPE I WILL BE ABLE TO

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BE OF SOME ASSISTANCE TO YOU DURING THE NEXT 10 MONTHS WHILE  
AT THE SENIOR SEMINAR.

ROBERT J. BUSHNELL  
AMERICAN CONSUL GENERAL  
AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL  
DHAHRAN, SAUDI ARABIA.  
BUSHNELL

NOTE BY OC/T: PASSED ABOVE ADDEE.

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